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PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

From San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 15.—A ruffian named Frank Silva, formerly proprietor of a den of thieves on Pacific street known as Hell's Back Kitchen, was arrested to-day on a bench warrant issued from the Municipal Court and it was indicted some months ago for robbery and forfeited cash bail amounting to $1500 by absconding He will now stand his trial for that offense

A telegram received from New York states that the ship *John Bright* Hadley from New York November 6th for San Francisco, is a total wreck on Cape St Roque

The Br ship *San Rafael* Capt Akin which sailed from here on the 4th of September for Queenstown has put into Valparaiso in a leaking condition

In the Municipal Court to day the trial case of Jno J Marks indicted for embezzlement was continued until Friday next

The sailing of the steamer *Granada* for Panama has been postponed from Wednesday of this week to Friday

The P M S S Co's steamer *Montana* arrived this morning from Panama, bringing 506 passengers, 700 tons merchandise and $24,000 in treasure.

Additional Attacks a Policeman.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec 15.—At 12 o'clock last night Officer Mahon was informed there were some suspicious characters in Buckley's Varieties, corner of Pine and Kearny streets, and that they were putting up job to 'go through' a drunken man Mahon went to the place to see who the men were As soon as he entered he was approached by a partly intoxicated individual, George Purcell, who told him he didn't care a — for any — of a policeman The officer told him that he arrested him for the use of which language and as he did so Purcell grasped him by the throat and ran him up against the wall The officer drew a club and struck Purcell on the head, knocking him down The fellow got up and made for Mahon, who knocked him down a second time Purcell again went for the officer and took his club from him, after which the officer got him down, and handcuffed him Purcell got up with the irons in his hand and struck Mahon on the head with so much force that he knocked him down The officer recovered himself and with the — he was with came took Purcell, bleeding profusely from wounds on his head, to the city prison charged with assault and battery and using vulgar language Purcell was held to answer on a charge of rubbing, some time since and yesterday he was discharged by the grand jury

Officers Attacked by Roughs.

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 15.—This morning early as Officers Gillooly Boye and Mern were going along Kearney street, near Pine, they were assaulted by two men, Harry St Clair alias Cummings and Charles Fahn, who rushed upon them from where they were lying in wait In the melee which ensued Gillespie was stabbed by Fahn in the right side, inflicting a painful but not dangerous wound Boye wrested the knife from Fahn and St Clair at the same time attempted to stab Boye, but was defeated in his object The officers then produced revolvers and fired a shot apiece, which brought the ruffians to terms. They were arrested taken to the city prison and a charge of assault to murder entered against them The assault is supposed to have been instigated by the capture of two pals of the attacking parties, who had just been taken to the station house by the above named officers.

An Embezzler Caught.

H F Harman a young man who embezzled $4,000 of Goodall Nelson & Co was arrested therefor in New Jersey, and reached here last night in charge of Detective Stone who locked him up on a charge of embezzlement

Fatally Wounded on an Old Quarrel.

A W Von Schmidt, a well known civil engineer, was fatally wounded by a pistol shot in the hands of Jas S McCue on Saturday last. The shooting was the result of a quarrel between the parties in relation to a piece of land which Von Schmidt had taken up as a pre-emption claim, and which McCue claimed as his property. Von Schmidt took up a tract of Pueblo land in the new addition and obtained a city title in due form Baker and McCue fenced off and claimed a portion of the tract, and on that being brought to the notice of Von Schmidt he proceeded to take possession, they lodged the affidavit as above stated It is believed that the accusation is simply grounded in malice, as Von Schmidt's title seems perfect and clear of any adverse claim McCue is the same party who recently had a difficulty resulting in the shooting by him of Spear private secretary of Senator Jones of Nevada

Fair for California

OAKLAND Dec 15—Quite a severe shock of earthquake was felt here about 1 o'clock this morning.

LOS ANGELES Dec 14—Heavily loaded mule trains are leaving every day for Panamint. News from there to the 12th says the rush continues, and there is but little doing Jones & Co will not commence active operations until spring

SAN DIEGO Dec 15—The steamer *Anita* arrived to-day from Panama and way ports She reports all quiet and peaceable along the lower coast.

Advices from Phoenix, Arizona report the [illegible] advance in the price of gold, and a prospect of it going higher before long.

GUALALA, Dec. 15—Two men, by the name of [illegible] and J J. Riley, were drowned yesterday at Schooner Gulch, a place about four miles south of Point Arena while rowing from Point Arena to Schooner Gulch on the ocean A man by the name of Thos Alport was with them at the time, but saved himself The boat was upset by a heavy swell Riley leaves a wife of five children

RIVERSIDE, Dec. 15—Under cover of darkness last night the burglars who robbed Harvey's safe at Vallejo made their way into our city and were first spotted on Steamboat wharf, where it is supposed they intended to take the Stockton boat for San Francisco. Before the Police could find them they made their escape. Some time after Constable Hanks, of Vallejo with whom our city police were acting in conjunction, discovered them in the yard of Moore & Cummings' warehouse, where Hanks, posting his assistants who had right escape impossible drew a pistol and rushed on them demanding the surrender They opened fire on him. He emptied his revolver; they returning shot for shot One of Hanks' assistants went down under his fire but soon arose and ran with his two comrades Their course was exactly to where the other police were stationed but from some unexplained reason they got by them and made a second escape Sheriff Perkins started from Benicia after noon, and about 9 o'clock they arrived in an empty house about five miles from Benicia and upon reconnoitering, discovered two of the culprits under it They were soon arrested and brought to town Stubbs the most hardened of the two, did the shooting He has been out of San Quentin but two weeks Bruce, the other criminal, is about of the same stamp, although not a jail bird They are now en route to jail at Fairfield

NEVADA.

AUSTIN Dec. 15—The *Reveille* of this afternoon publishes the following account of a shooting affray which occurred at Jefferson on Sunday last. The account was received from the driver of the Jefferson stage and is published verbatim

Well they did have a killing over there, sure enough It come on about a poker game. There was a big fellow named Jas Donovan and a little fellow named Killett though some calls him Texas, but his Killett sure enough, Well, the game was busted up about something, and Killett went off and heeled himself, and when he came Donovan backed five paces and Killett went forward five paces and turned and went for his gun Then the firing commenced Donovan got in two shots first Killett's first shot went in the air his second was a center shot and hit Donovan square between the two eyes, when he fell and Killett emptied his pistol and said 'Boys, I hated to do it but I couldn't help it' Killett gave himself up and they held a jury over the corpse and the jury said he came to his death by a pistol shot Killett is to have a trial before Justice Marshall and they have sent to Belmont for lawyer Williams to defend him and I understand that Frank Owen will defend the deceased

NOTE—Frank Owen is District Attorney of Nye county and the driver probably meant that he would prosecute the defendant.—[Ledger.

BY STATE TELEGRAPH.

ROCK POINT Dec 13—J J Colvig and Jas Burdeye have just arrived from the new quartz mines, some fifty miles below the place and report things lively The road is lined with men and pack trains going to the land of gold and silver The great Mammoth ledge is about 150 feet in width at the point where Rogue river has worn its way through to the depth of 400 feet About 300 claims are now taken It has been traced for about twenty miles through a very rough country Guides get from $10 to $20 per day to trace the lead Colvig says he crushed a few pounds of the ore and it averaged 10 cents per pound in gold A town has sprung up in a few weeks It is to be known as Mammoth city Hotels feed stables shops and other buildings are being built, and all that is needed now is capital to take hold

THE ROSE OF SHARON.

She Bloomed for Hell but was Plucked by Newlands.

A PACIFIC SLOPE ROMANCE IN WHICH A YOUNG CHICAGOAN IS VITALLY INTERESTED—FOR HE HAS LOST A BLUSHING BRIDE AND A COOL MILLION INTO THE BARGAIN—THE WICKEDNESS OF VERBOO LASSIES

[From the Chicago Times Nov 29.]

Last Friday morning the telegraph told the world that Miss Sharon, daughter of William Sharon, of Nevada—a gentle manly miner and banker, generally known all over the Pacific coast as one of the wealthiest men on the western side of the Rocky Mountains,—had fused her name with that of a young limb of the law named T G Newlands, of Frisco and hitched her future life with his in the dissoluble bonds of modern matrimony It was an event of no ordinary magnitude for the Pacific slope for heiresses with such prodigious dower as that which this bride brought to her legal companion are not to be picked up every day, and, when found the newspapers have every reason to make a note of it, and society to indulge in one of its paroxysms over the most important event of the season Newlands revels in wealth and a handsome wife has kicked his Blackstone fine her name and scattered his briefs to the wind A cool million delved from the stubborn bowels of Belcher, or hoisted from the subterranean depths of Crown Point and coined into bright dollars probably for the special occasion plumped into his hands along with the fascinating piece of humanity whom he now owns as a wife This Sharon wedding was an occurrence, and opened up a brilliant financial future to the young lawyer who proved the fortunate young man for besides the million, which came just for pin money for the bride, there will be untold riches in the way of patrimony when the old man Forsyths the Senatorial career he now aspires to, and shuffles himself into the other world.

Chicago takes an interest in this wedding She takes an interest in everything that comes up to public notice nowadays In this particular occurrence she feels that it might have been one of her young men who bagged the bride and the million had not cruel and inexorable fate interfered to destroy the plans which had been laid to consummate the end which Newlands has gained The "rose of Sharon" bade fair to be plucked by a resident of the city until in an unexpected hour the fair Pacific flower was harvested by rival hands

About three years ago Mr Otis G Hall was a teller in a bank in San Francisco He was young being scarcely 21, yet was considered a man of more than average ability and gained a $2,500 per annum livelihood figuring up discounts and doing a general banking business He met Miss Sharon admired her, loved her proposed to her, and was accepted The inference was that she too loved him and thanked the Lord that He had sent her such a man much after the fashion of the Moors bride When the matter was carried up to the higher court—the family of the young lady—judgment was affirmed, but the consummation of the vows was postponed The parents of the young man while they consented to the engagement urged that he was too young to marry and advised him to wait a couple of years and meantime employ his time traveling They suggested Europe he consented threw up his position in the bank packed his wardrobe bade his sweetheart good bye, told her to be a good girl and not go rolling around with any other fellow skipped across the continent and made his way to the old country The flame of passion still burned brightly with the parents of Hall, but it did not with his while she professed to be his own love was only love and gave him to understand that she was yearning pining expiring for his return

Mr Hall returned from Europe some time last spring, and finally settled down in Chicago where he obtained a position in the hardware house of Messrs Rathbone, Sard & Co, and which he now holds The course of his true love, apparently ran as smooth as when he took his departure from San Francisco, as frequent letters of a most affectionate character from Miss Sharon testified Every thing looked as bright to him as when two years before in the lucky day of the engagement It had been prominently announced in the San Francisco papers, and he was warmly congratulated all around for being such a lucky fellow as to win the affections of this greatest catch on the coast Only last month ago Mr Hall received a charming letter from the young lady in which she assured him that he was all that she desired in this world. But a cloud overshadowed his bright prospects a few days afterward A San Francisco newspaper one day brought him the intelligence that his fiancee had re-engaged herself and that the time for her marriage to Mr Newlands had been fixed Of course he believed that it was all wrong didn't think that she could be so fickle and all that sort of thing but the [illegible] of women's fickleness and inconstancy, and rushed too firmly upon the promises of youth Mr Hall at once telegraphed the faithless girl, the message of inquiry costing him $35 but he failed to receive any reply A few days later he wrote her a long letter filling 30 pages of paper in which he probably reviewed his case and made a final plea for a continuance He had since his departure from San Francisco been in constant communication with Miss Sharon and her brother and the letters from this young man ceased, as also did hers at the time the second alliance became public The brother had up to this time repeatedly assured Hall that his sister was anxious for his return

It has been a bad venture for Hall He lost his position in San Francisco spent between $6 000 and $8 000 in Europe and didn't learn much either he says has lost his girl and missed a million of dollars and is jogging along in the hardware house above mentioned on a small salary He will probably be well be more careful in the future, and when another lively rose blossoms into affection for him he will not put too much confidence in a girl's promises The fatalism in this case come from reliable parties in Chicago familiar with all the details

The regular term of the Supreme Court began on the 14th But little routine business C B Bellinger of Portland, was elected Clerk in the place of C G Curl deceased The resolutions of condolence relating to the death of C G Curl adopted by the Bar, were presented by Judge Boise and ordered spread upon the records and in respect to the memory of the deceased, the Court stood adjourned until Tuesday at 10 o'clock A M

There will be a grand shooting match at Canyonville on Christmas day Purse $10

NEW PROCESS FLOUR

There is a revolution in progress in flour making as remarkable in some respects as that introduced by the application of steam and electricity and certainly as interesting as anything that has lately engaged our attention Our readers have recently seen notices of flour made by what is termed the new process in the price lists of the trade A few days ago a gentleman of roughly posted in the flour trade showed us samples of the product in its various stages of manufacture and explained to us something of the process This new kind of flour is only made from spring wheat, thus reversing the rule that good flour could only be made from winter wheat The process at present used in most of the mills is of course familiar to all our readers In it the wheat is converted into flour middlings and bran of which the two latter are generally regarded as refuse A cheap quality of flour is sometimes made from the middlings but generally they go to feed stock or to be distilled The flour being obtained from the first grinding, the effort is to get as much out of it as possible and have the wheat ground as fine as possible and at a high rate of speed Everybody knows that the middlings contain a large quantity of the best and most nutritious part of the wheat and yet no successful effort had been made until lately to remedy this defect in the mode of manufacturing flour Now however machinery has been perfected by which all the flour can be gotten out of the middlings The same thing has been tried in Europe but the results have not been so satisfactory as with us for we have taken all the machinery they have invented and added to it what was wanting to make it successful

The hardest and best Minnesota or Wisconsin spring wheat is used for this the highest grade of flour made in this country It is estimated that only one tenth of the spring wheat product of this country is milled by this method and only about fifteen per cent of the wheat thus prepared issues as the general New Process flour Its great value consists in the sweetness, beauty and quality of bread which it produces

After the wheat has been cleansed from dirt by the smut machine the outer woody fibre of the berry is entirely removed by a machine called a decorticator The wheat is then rolled coarsely passes into a chest subjected to an air blast which separates the finer flour composed of starch mostly, from the coarser middlings which contain all the saccharine and other nutritive properties of the wheat These middlings, thus purified are well known as farina, and being a small proportion of the product of the wheat are then ground, forming the New Process" flour

The machinery consists of a horizontal sieve made of felting cloth, which has a short, quick motion imparted to it. Into this sieve, at one end the middlings are fed The motion starts them along the sieve toward the outer end A blast of air is introduced under the sieve while a suction is created above This air current off all the lighter particles the heavy particles, which contain the flour fall through the sieve into a receptacle below while the bran is carried off to the end and falls out as tailings The heavy material so caught and prepared is again ground and bolted, and from this comes the best article of flour that has ever yet been known for general use The defect in this machinery heretofore has been in keeping the sieve from clogging or chocking up It would quickly do so and then the whole contents would go out at the end, and the effort would fail To remedy this a brush wielded by man-power was employed to brush out the sieve, but the impossibility of this and expense rendered the whole thing comparatively nugatory This was for a long time the state of this enterprise But in the year 1872 a Frenchman, by the name of Lecroix brought from Paris a machine for this purpose, known as the Perrigault machine, which he put on a mill of his own at Fairibault, Minn But its defects before refined to left it in the category of other attempts He subsequently put a similar machine into Washburn's machine at Minneapolis, Minn White this was being done the the suggestion was made Why not put in a brush to run by machinery? The idea struck Lecroix at once favorably and he replied, 'Certainly, I will do it as soon as I return' He then being about to go away for a time When he returned a brush working by machinery had been put in, for which George C Smith of Minneapolis as we are informed, has a patent.

The invention of the brush gave the start to this enterprise which has since been advancing steadily and rapidly All the large mills in the West are rapidly adapting their machinery to it and the small ones are following suit as fast as their means will allow

Lacroix returned to find the suggestion accomplished and at once invented a brush working on a spiral or screw More recent devices have been brought into use to supersede the brush entirely consisting of air blasts impinging violently against the sieves containing against them to knock out the gathering material Any quantity of patents have already been issued for this purpose and the inventive genius of the age is evidently busy on the problem and unquestionably will not rest as long as anything possibly remains to be accomplished, which will not be until the last speck of material in the wheat possible to be converted into flour has been extracted It is reasonable to suppose that we are not yet at the end of the advantages involved in this matter.

We will take a resolution Let us see how far it is one In the first place the new process produces sixteen pounds more of flour from the quantity of wheat formerly used in producing a barrel of flour in the second place, a quantity of flour vastly superior in all respects to any before produced as a general thing, and in the third place, it enables the superior flour to be made from spring wheat which has not heretofore been used the best flour thus making that kind of wheat heretofore the inferior now the superior kind

Under this new process the wheat is ground what is technically termed higher, which unscientifically is simply 'coarser' the stones running wider apart and slower to accomplish the result Under the old process it was as important to get as little middlings as possible while under the new process it is as important to get as much as possible, which this slow and coarse grinding accomplishes The slower grinding necessitates more bolting, while the cleaning process calls for an addition of bolting or sieving capacity which embraces all the additional machinery required No additional power is wanted as what is required for additional machinery is got by diminished speed Not only is this flour thus obtained from the middlings vastly better than flour heretofore obtained but the first run of the stones is also better than ever before We are told that it is whiter and more granular, or what may be called coarser, that it takes more water in the making of bread makes a larger loaf than before with the same quantity of flour and the nutritive qualities, if anything are increased In point of fact while the flouring capacity of the wheat is increased to an extent most valuable the quality is increased from 40 to 50 per cent and there is no loss in any direction except in the future heretofore fed to the cattle or wasted in the distilleries That this is an important revolution in this all important branch of industry will readily be admitted

A most important feature of it is the change it has made in the relative importance of different sections of the country as wheat bearing regions Under the old process of making the flour the winter wheat furnished by all odds the best article This was obtained only in best condition from the northern tier of the Southern States or the extreme southern parts of the Northern States Virginia Kentucky and Missouri furnished the bulk of wheat making the best flour—which flour commanded uniformly fifty cents more per barrel in the market than the flour of the Northwest, and the difference was occasionally much greater Now spring wheat makes a better article than can by any possibility be made with the winter In fact, the winter cannot be used to any advantage under this new process The effect is that the relative importance of the Northwest and the States referred to has been suddenly reversed Now the flour made of spring wheat by this process commands at least fifty cents more in the market than the hereofore best kind This lifts Iowa Minnesota, Wisconsin and the Northwest generally to the front rank of flour producing regions and adds correspondingly to the value of all the property in them

We think these considerations sustain us in calling this a revolution in flour making It is one which has principally benefited the farmers and the merchants and the latter class should not be slow to cultivate an acquaintance with the new process flour—*American Grocer*

OUR SHIP-BUILDING WOODS

Under the above caption the *Commercial Herald* of San Francisco in the issue of Dec 10th has the following well written article It will be seen by Oregon readers that they can with the greatest adherence to accuracy use the term 'Our ship-building woods' as our contemporary has them

For some time past we have been gathering information from authentic sources relative to our ship-building timber for the purpose of instituting a comparison between it and that grown at the East Quite a fleet of ships barks brigs and schooners, built of Oregon yellow fir, Port Orford cedar, and California laurel is now owned in San Francisco, principally by gentlemen concerned in the lumber and coal trades In order to show the surpassing excellence and durability of the vessels composing that fleet we shall state certain undeniable facts obtained from their respective owners Seventeen years ago Captain Simpson of this city built a brig at Coos Bay, Oregon, and christened her the *Arago* This vessel is entirely composed of yellow fir and Port Orford cedar, with locust treenails She is 135 tons burden, heavily fastened and staunchly made throughout During the whole of that time the *Arago* has been employed in carrying coal below deck and a heavy deck load of lumber She has never lost a day shows no strain or damage whatever, has never cost one dollar for repairs to her hull, and is considered by experts quite as sound in all respects now as when she was launched She was the first vessel ever built on this coast since it be[illegible] an American possession At the time we visited and inspected the *Arago* lying right ahead of her, at Howard street wharf was the new ship *Western Shore* also the property of Capt. Simpson built on the same ways as the *Arago* and of like material She is brand new and just arrived from Coos Bay The *Western Shore* is nearly 1,500 tons burden 183 feet long 42 feet beam and 22 feet depth of hold She has no ceiling but large and hand-some beams take their place, and are strongly supported by solid knees naturally crooked, and heavily fastened Her planking and wales average from 7 to 80 feet in length without knots and smooth as a smelt A row of stout upright stanchions runs amidship from the upper deck beams through those of the lower deck, are let into the upper keelson, and are fastened by heavy iron bolts riveted on both sides She is handsomely modeled with fine lines clears from all keen entrance and clean run and is a first rate sailer as shown by her log from Coos Bay to this city Although of nearly 1,200 tons the *Western Shore* made the trip with only 125 tons ballast, having three skysail yards across This clearly demonstrates her stiffness, and goes to show her carrying powers Take her for all in all she is the strongest built ship we ever saw, and that is saying a good [illegible] The fine ship *Willamet*, composed of the same material and now about four years old, is also a fast sailer, has never cost her owners one dollar for repairs to the hull, and is quite as tight as when she left the ways Although constantly engaged in carrying lumber, with immense deck loads, she bids fair to last any number of years longer The brig *Nor[illegible]* probably the fastest [illegible] out of this port, was launched six years ago [illegible] in the condition as she was at that [illegible] has been constantly running in the [illegible] which involves great changes of cargoes, has never cost a dollar for repairs and [illegible] by the quickest passages ever recorded [illegible] sailing vessel We could cite many [illegible] ples, but it is unnecessary at this time Western vessels are built of white oak, [illegible] at, beech, pitch pine and white pine, hackmatack, cedar and locust frequently quite a number of these different woods enter into the composition and as their respective durability is very unequal some portion of the [illegible] is always needing repairs after the first three or four years Oak will not hold caulking, like fir The oakum works loose and has to be replaced frequently but fir requires nothing of the kind for years Oak will destroy iron fastening after ten years, but fir will keep it sound for an indefinite period Oak and fir break at the same strain Oak plank scarcely ever exceed 25 feet in length while fir plank can be had 90 feet long without trouble and of any required thickness Our fir and cedar will outlast any timber grown in the East with the single exception of Florida live oak and that is to be reserved for years before it acquires that quality Oregon fir and our cedar need no artificial aid, their lasting qualities are natural and we unhesitatingly pronounce that vessels built of them are in all respects superior to any that can be constructed at the East

MILITARY NOTES.

Under date of the 11th and 14th inst the following orders have been made by General Howard

1st Lieutenant John A Lundeen, 4th Artillery en route from San Francisco to Alaska Territory, with detachment of troops, on arrival of the steamer will proceed with his command to Port Vancouver and report to the commanding officer for duty, while waiting the departure of the Sitka steamer

In the case of private William P Sweeney Company H, 21st Infantry, tried by General Court-Martial (General Orders No 41, current series), upon the recommendation of his company and regimental commanders—based on the previous excellent character of the soldier—the unexpired period of confinement is remitted

Major John Green, 1st Cavalry, is relieved from temporary duty at Department Headquarters and—on completion of the duty to which he is assigned in Special Orders No 167 paragraph 1 current series—will, by authority from Division Headquarters report in person at the Headquarters of his Regiment Benicia Barracks California

So much of the term of imprisonment of Wm Grant General Prisoner Fort Klamath Oregon—awarded by General Orders No 13 June 10 1873 which imposed confinement at hard labor for two years—as remains unexpired the 1st proximo on the recommendation of his commanding officer for good conduct while undergoing sentence is remitted

Pursuant to instructions from Division Headquarters of the 30th ultimo, a Board of Officers to consist of 1st Lieutenant Frazier A Bourelle, 1st Cavalry 2d Lieutenant Edwin H Shelton 1st Cavalry 2d Lieutenant Robert H Fletcher 21st Infantry—will assemble at Fort Lapwai Idaho Territory Tuesday Dec 22 1874 at 9 o'clock A M or as soon thereafter as practicable to consider a complaint made November 16 1874 by private Jeremiah Hurley Company F 1st Cavalry to Assistant Inspector General Roger Jones relative to certain charges et against his pay on the muster roll The Board will examine the company records and any available witnesses, and will make recommendation in the case

At a regular meeting of North Union Grange No 174 held on Clatskanine river Dec 5th the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year: C S Bryant, Worthy Master; Wm E. Lingenfelter, Overseer; C L [illegible] Lecturer, Ed J Ford Steward J E W Conyers, Assistant Steward, Wm H Conyers Secretary B W Blood Treasurer S M Graham Gatekeeper Mary E. Lingenfelter Ceres; Mary Lee, Pomona, Mrs W A Ford, Flora Annie J B Conyers, Lady Assistant Steward Z S Bryant, Chaplain

THE TERRITORIES

There are five murderers in the Ramsey county jail St Paul, awaiting trial Only two deliberate murders committed in that city last week! We prefer a community not quite so reckless

The Vancouver *Register* has this Mr N Schofield has erected a neat snug little barn on the west side of his block during the past week 18x27' Which, the block, the barn or the week?

Col W G Bullock of Fort Laramie, being a pioneer of 25 years' standing is considered pretty good authority on Western resources and he insists that there are "oceans of gold" in the Black Hills

The Sioux have got badly used up in their recent war with the Utes, and are afoot in the wilderness The Utes robbed them of 300 horses and ponies and if the Government don't come to their relief the noble red men will starve

J C Mason, living eight or ten miles north of Vancouver, has contracted with a firm in Portland to get out 150 000 staves for the manufacture of fish barrels He brought in 1 000 on Tuesday last, and from their appearance the *Register* pronounces them a first class article

The Idaho Legislature met on the 7th inst H J Prickett was elected President pro tem, W C Beachy, Chief Clerk, B M Anderson, Sergeant at Arms, and A J Boyakin, Doorkeeper of the Council, V S Anderson was chosen Speaker of the House, Cahalin, Chief Clerk and —— Mattox Sergeant at-Arms in the temporary organization of the House

Frederick Moy, of Company H, 1st Cavalry, stationed at Camp Harney, Oregon, who killed Joseph Lee of Company K, 1st Cavalry, stationed at Camp Harney, while both were at Fort Boise on the 31st of February [illegible] and subsequently turned over to the civil authorities and in consequence of the failure of the grand jury to find a bill [illegible] him at the last term of court, and [illegible] to the military authorities, was tried by this court martial for manslaughter and desertion and sentenced to five years' imp[illegible] Almost at Fort Disappointment in Washington Territory, with all pay and allowances cut off but $30, to be given him on the expiration of his sentence Thomas Coffee, musician of Company H 21st Infantry stationed at Fort Boise was tried for desertion and sentenced to one year's imprisonment at the same place, and pay cut off during the term

O. & W. R. R.

Oregon's three Reps—Holladay Simpson and Underwood—will winter in Washington City

Hon Sylvester C Simpson, of Portland, delivered the first of a course of medical lectures at the University Chapel last Monday evening

The contract for building the bridge across Deer creek, at the site of the old bridge, north of Roseburg, was let, on last Saturday, to Edward Dry for $640

The usual resolutions of condolence were adopted by the Supreme Court in respect to the death of C G Curl Esq, on Monday last, and ordered spread on the record

A letter from Kirbyville, Josephine County, dated Dec. 10th, says We have had fine weather here during the fall and so far during the winter Rain enough and no snow in the valleys"

The *Plaindealer* has a brief account of a fire in Calapooia valley which, after [illegible] until he became infatuated, burst into a blaze The family escaped no harm, and the [illegible] animal went into the back yard and gored a horse to death which was hitched to the [illegible]

The Salem *Statesman* says Hon S F Chadwick recently received a letter from the Executive Department of the State of Virginia, which had been directed to him officially at Sacramento, California, and thence by the Secretary of State and forwarded to Oregon We can but wonder if Oregon is destined to be always considered in California.

The Grangers have purchased a lot of land on the river bank at Salem, and a stock company will be at once organized, who will at an early day commence the erection of a mammoth grain warehouse on the premises It is certain[illegible] to the water's edge and of such depth as to accommodate an immense [illegible] ture The price paid was $1,300

THE HERALD'S ADVICE

Since the election the New York *Herald* has overflowed with advice to the Republican leaders Here is what it proposes, for Congress to do this winter, in order to save the party—and benefit the country

First—Let Congress, at the coming session pass and submit to the States an amendment to the Constitution providing that hereafter elected to a single term of six years If President Grant himself would recommend such an amendment in his [illegible] coming annual message to Congress it would be an act of allegiance instead of an act of opposition, and it would put the sincerity of the Democrats on the [illegible] question to a [illegible] test The amendment would go at once to the Legislatures, most of which would be in session, and the Democratic Legislatures could not reject it without forfeiting all claims to respect or consistency. The [illegible] will be one of those rare conjunctures which cannot be expected to recur before the end of the century This great [illegible] ought to be carried in the [illegible] condition of [illegible] when the Republicans have a motive to divest themselves of damaging suspicions and the Democrats could not afford to confess that their anti third term cry was [illegible] and bogus. This is a reform which our great statesmen have desired for half a century Jackson recommended it in every one of his eight annual messages Clay advocated it with equal steadiness and vigor

Prophets and kings desired it long
But died without the sight.

The Republican party may vindicate its own character and force the Democrats to follow its lead in a great and necessary reform if Congress at its next session will take advantage of this golden opportunity

Second—Another great and salutary measure which this Congress can either force through or put upon the Democrats the responsibility for its defeat is civil service reform in its most desirable shape. The only method by which the reform can be made secure and the Executive forever stripped of his corrupting patronage is a constitutional amendment prohibiting the President to dismiss the heads of departments and persons in the diplomatic service at pleasure, but forbidding the removal of other officers except for incapacity or unfaithfulness Nothing would do so much to purify our politics as the adoption of such an amendment The chances of carrying it would be less than in the case of an amendment for [illegible] the President to one term, since

The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, DEC. 16, 1874.

THE TUMULTS CONTINUE.

It is really disc[illegible]reging to read the dispatches from the South. The disorders that always attended efforts to maintain popular government in the Spanish American States, have been scarcely greater than those that now keep the Southern States of this Republic in a constant commotion. The slightest legal difference upon questions affecting the title to an office, is sufficient foundation for a riot or an insurrection. Now it is Louisiana, now Texas, now Mississippi, and now Arkansas, or some other of the "reconstructed" communities that is the theatre of a general uproar. The whole body politic, in the South, seems to be cov[illegible]ed with sores that are liable to fester and brea[illegible] out into open ulcers at any moment.

It is idle to say the blame is all with the White Leaguers or with carpet-bagg[illegible], or with the ne[illegible]roes. They are all to be blamed. The White Leaguers, or native whites are arrogant and intolerant. They refuse to accept the fact of the political equality of the races in good faith, in all the length and breadth and fullness of the true spirit of the Constitution. They take counsel of their prejudices instead of their intellects, and attempt in various ways to hedge in the exercise of political rights by the colored people, until there is nothing left of the equality intended to be guaranteed by the amendments. They employ their b[illegible]ing too much in devising ways to thwart the Constitution in its spirit, without violating it in its letter.

The[illegible]s upon the other hand are suspicious of every white person, and are watching continually for some ground of complaint against them. This is a natural result of the war that existed between the two [illegible] in the recent past. [illegible] the colored people in the South are ignorant and ill-prepared to exercise political privileges. And [illegible] they have not made a record to be proud of, though perhaps they [illegible] as any race would have done under similar disadvantages.

And to make m[illegible] worse the carpet-baggers, a selfish, corrupt and shameless set of scoundrels, who p[illegible] neither the patriot[illegible] of citizenship, nor the conservat[illegible] of responsibility, but who are for the most part well skilled in all the arts and sleights of political rascality, fan the flame of prejudice among the negroes against the whites in order to secure the support and a[illegible]sistance of the former to perpetuate themselves in office.

The difficulty of [illegible]taining local government and preserving order under these [illegible] is great. The two principal elements that form the political society, naturally [illegible] as are read[illegible] by [illegible] of the carpet-baggers. And to all appearances the end [illegible] when the reconstruction laws were [illegible]. How or when the end is to come, [illegible]. There is truth, however, [illegible] can not be kept too much in view in dealing with the Southern people, namely, that the use of [illegible] is productive of harm alone, [illegible] citizenship is to [illegible] allow and cultivate between the two races [illegible] the spirit of tolerance and [illegible] citizenship. Never attempt to force [illegible] rule of people, even if it become necessary to compel their outward conduct, and trample upon their feelings wantonly, or defy their prejudices [illegible] to enjoy the exercise of superior [illegible]. If [illegible] disgraceful outbreaks in [illegible] evil to be brought to a ter[illegible] [illegible] be done in the way here [illegible].

DEAD.

The dispatches published this morning announce the [illegible] consent of the [illegible] the [illegible] of [illegible] set up by the Administration to kill off the [illegible] York Tw[illegible]. Never before was the [illegible] al heralded with such a flourish of trumpets, or its [illegible] could be [illegible] from the house tops [illegible] a cry of triumph, as attended the [illegible] of the *Republic*. It was to be the most enterprising and [illegible]ful of all the great journals, [illegible] as a newspaper; it was to [illegible] everything that [illegible] it as a commercial paper; [illegible] literary department was to be the criterion by which [illegible] be tested; and, above all, it [illegible] to be *the* organ of the [illegible] party.

[illegible] auspicious sky the *Republic* was ushered into being. It knew no [illegible], nor [illegible]. The boast of the savage chieftain in the redoubtable Captain of Pl[illegible]outh, that he had never been a child, but [illegible], full grown and fully armed, from the heart of an oak when it [illegible] by a thunderbolt, was the boast of the *Republic*. Alas, that the [illegible] to the end! While the sound of the Indian's boasting was yet echoing, he lay dead at the feet of the [illegible] he [illegible] goes out to slay. The *Times* and the other independent journals [illegible] were to be laid low by the *Republic*, [illegible] looked in its [illegible] yesterday, quietly publish its obituary to-day. The third term was a failure; Butlerism was a millstone about the neck; the elections were a whirlwind; and the organ, *the* [illegible] has [illegible] dier than anything but the third term scheme. It never had any real, honest excuse for living, it never did any good or much harm, and it goes down "unwept, unhonored and unsung." Its career may be described in a phrase brief if not brilliant.

DIRECT EXPORTATION.

In pursuance of a resolution of the Board of T[illegible] of this city, Mr. William Reid, secretary of the Board, is corresponding with [illegible]ing members of the Board in foreign countries for the purpose of ascertaining in what countries Oregon may find direct markets for the products of her various industries. The wheat market is the greatest source of wealth of the State, and the market for our wheat and flour is pretty well opened already; but our lumbering remains to a great extent undeveloped, and our salmon and wool, both leading sources of wealth, seek shipment through San Francisco houses. This should not be. It is but yesterday our wheat went to San Francisco and was shipped thence to the foreign market. We have now discovered that we are able to ship directly, and the vessels that carry away our wheat are the Oregon grain fleet, not a part of California's fleet. So might we do with our other exports. There is no reason in our producers paying the expense of a second handling of their products, between their own seaport and the market. If they ship to Liverpool or Cork, let the ship sail from the Columbia river for that port direct, and let our people have the benefit of the highest market price that can be realized. If they ship to New York or Philadelphia, the principal market for wool, let them ship from Oregon and let Oregon have the name and the profits of the transaction instead of surrendering both to California.

IMPROVEMENT OF THE WALLAMET RIVER.

Mr. H. I. Chapman, Civil Engineer, will sail for Washington to-morrow, whither he goes to lay before the Government plans devised by him for the improvement of the navigation at the mouth of the Mississippi river; also for removing the bars at Swan Island and the mouth of the Wallamet. Mr. Chapman has given the subject a great deal of attention, and is satisfied his plans will, if adopted, prove entirely successful, and accomplish the desired objects at much less expense than any other plans that have been recommended. We understand other engineers, who have examined the subject, agree heartily with Mr. Chapman in regard to the feasibility of his project. We have inspected the plans, and they appear to us reasonable and practicable; but, of course, a problem of the nature of the one under consideration is a problem for educated engineers, as they may see objections that would not be discovered by other persons. We sincerely hope the plan proposed by Mr. Chapman for our river, at least, may be tried, and may prove eminently successful.

While the *Bulletin* is drawing lessons from the misfortunes of newspapers we trust it will not forget to publish the lesson of the *Republic's* demise. There is an excellent field in that event for some comforting reflections. Thus it might be put: the people have repudiated the third term and the third termers, the corruptions and the corruptionists; they refuse their support to all those journals that attempt to defend these abominations; *the* ring organ of the United States has succumbed, and the ring organ of Portland is going down rapidly; this is a bad year for scoundrelism any how; "let us have peace."

The appointment of C. B. Bellinger, Esq., to be clerk of the Supre[illegible] Court, cannot fail to give [illegible] action to all unprejudiced persons. The position is one that demands the services of some one familiar with the forms of legal proceeding, and that familiarity can be acquired alone by practice as an attorney. Mr. Bellinger is eminently fitted for the place, to every respect, and his appointment will be [illegible] pleasing to the bar of that Court. We congratulate the appointee, the judges and the bar.

The news of the death of *the* organ does not take any intelligent person by surprise. People [illegible]bouts only say "next" and look entrance at the "*Bulletin*."

A bill has been introduced by Senator Kelly to give the right of way over public lands, to the Winnemucca Railway.

CURRENCY.

Specie or Currency wanted.—For the next 60 days we will take Currency at par in exchange for Merchandise of all "cash" sales. All goods sold at a "reasonable profit."

CURRIER & CO.,
d[illegible]m 78 First Street.

MARRIED:

In Salem, Dec. 13, John Edgerton and Miss Fannie Ball.

Near Barlow's Gate, Wasco county, Dec. 2, at the residence of the bride's father, by E. C. Wyatt, J. P., John Mayfield and Miss Lizzie Savage.

Near Barlow's Gate, Wasco county, Dec. 4, at a Grange meeting, by E. C. Wyatt, J. P., P. B Tucker and Miss Minnie Mason.

DIED:

Near East Portland, Dec. 15, Professor B. Cornelius, aged 74 years.

[illegible]s[illegible]ssociate St. David's Chapel, East Portland, on Thursday, Dec 17, at 3 P. M. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

NEW TO-DAY.

DRESS GOODS, NEW STOCK JUST OPENED; every shade and color in fine all wool Goods. JOHN WILSON.

STRAYED OR STOLEN.

ONE BLACK DOUBLE NOSE BETTER DOG, answers to name of "Dash;" also, one brown English Retriever PUP, about 8 months old. Any person giving information which will lead to the recovery of the same, will be liberally rewarded by D MONNASTES.

STEAMED OYSTERS!

At KEITH'S. 8

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTing between D. K. Halpruner and Joseph Schwendell is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The Dancing Academy will hereafter be conducted by Prof. D. K. Halpruner, who will pay all debts and collect all money due the firm.

D. K. HALPRUNER,
JOSEPH SCHWENDELL.
Portland, Dec. 15, 1874. d16d3t

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WE WILL PAY THE HIGHEST PRICE for good lots of

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$1,000, COIN, FOR ONE OR TWO YEARS, on Real Estate security. No commissions. Apply to H. L. PITTOCK, Oregonian Office. d[illegible]tf

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SMOKING CHAIRS!
TURKISH CHAIRS!
OTTOMANS!
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Rich Walnut and Gilt
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FOR
Window Cornices!

ETC., ETC., ETC.

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ON WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16, AT SALESROOM,
Sheriff's Sale of
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Constable's Sale;
Also, a Large
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OUR REGULAR SALE;
Also,
A CONSIGNMENT OF HOLIDAY GOODS.

DESIRABLE CITY PROPERTY!
AT AUCTION.

WE WILL SELL, AT SALESROOMS, ON
SATURDAY, DEC. 19,

At 10 o'clock, precisely, the following described Real Estate:

All of Block No. 230;
Lots 5 and 6 in Block No. 329;
Lots 3 and 6 in Block No. 330;
South Half of Block No. 331;
West Half of East Half of Lots 7 and 8, in Block No. 239.

ALSO,

The South 35 feet of Lot 1 in Block 252. This Lot is on the northwest corner of Morrison and Eighth streets, being 100 feet on Morrison and 35 feet on Eighth street—one of the best locations for sale in the city.

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Reasonable Charges for Hire. Particular Attention paid to Boarding Horses.

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To boats, 50 cents each passenger.
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Orders left at STABLE or FISHEL & ROBERTS, promptly attended to at any hour.

NOTICE. REMOVAL.

J. SHEMANSKI

Has Removed from Morrison Street to the Store formerly occupied by McGEE, O'DOOLE & CO.,
No. 28 FIRST STREET,
(Between Ash and Pine.)

Will keep constantly on hand
English, French, German and American
WINDOW GLASS;
Also,
SASH DOORS, BLINDS, &c.

Contracts for GLASS and GLAZING promptly attended to.

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ORO FINO THEATER!

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Fourth Night of the Talented Artiste,
MME. MARIE DURET.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, DEC. 16,
The Performance will commence with scenes from the Thrilling Drama, entitled
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LADY AUDLEY.....MME. MARIE DURET.

To be followed by a grand MUSICAL INTERLUDE
Concluding with the Brilliant Comedy in two acts, entitled,
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Reserved Seats, $1. Gallery 50c. Family Tickets, admitting four, $3. Children half price.

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DEC. 16, 1874.

...ded to give a ... of the affair. It appears ... Paton some time ... of two men—John Joyce and ... upon that boat as deck ... ally Joyce, were at ... and mutinous ... boat. Several rows ... in consequence of ... by these men, which ... row on Thursday ... the arrival of the ... river on Thursday ... & K City, the two ... assured some bad ... him, time in imbibing ... to inspire them with ... it was but a little while ... row with a fellow deck ... kicked him ... and one of them ... of his thumb. Upon ... the mate, pitch... ... with these men to ... determined to ... ay did so, and ... sooner were they ... burst forth with ... Bowers ... violent ... to kill him all the ... When ... they turned upon ... and deals him ... Joyce was ... d, as above stated. ... day. Wm. ... and battery, and ... was bound over to ... and jury on a charge ... and bail fixed at ... unable to procure ... Capt. Smith, ...ding operations by ... the past summer and ... to be ready to ... apparatus as soon as ... competent engineer ... for the purpose ... ve distances and ... de contiguous to it. ... Point Adams light: ... 46°, 11', 36" ... of Queenstown. These ... meters can all ex... the light after leading ... On the last trip of the ... the river, she ran against ... had drifted directly ... the mouth of the Wal... raised by the ... the bottom of the hull ... the obstruction. At ... was drawing 17 feet and ... channel at the present stage ... Had not the log ... the vessel would ... ation. While ... with the snag puller ... some weeks ago, he ... His sent down ... powder. It was ... as Capt. Smith was unable to ... the powder had shattered ... received by the powder, it ... the obstruction to shift po... days the dangerous impedi... men are now en... beacon" on Sand ... completed in a few days. ... been erected on the ... of commerce. The ... on the northern ... with the two beacons, ... channel and avoid ... on either hand in coming in or ... Yards in the vicinity of ... ship masters.

REPORTS BEING PREPARED.—Gen. Michler is now busily engaged in the preparation of his reports, which will be forwarded to Washington as soon as completed, with accompanying maps and charts. These embrace the reports of all the lighthouses, fog-signals, etc., in this district, the amount and description of the sand and river improvements made this season, surveys and reconnoissance of the rivers, etc. All the maps, profiles, charts, etc., made during the survey of the Columbia river have been completed, which are all to be forwarded with the report of the same. A long report is also being prepared of the recent examinations made along the Yamhill river, extending from its confluence with the Willamet up to McMinnville, giving the location of the obstructions, character, and making estimates of the probable cost of their removal. From the reconnoissance of this stream, it seems that the obstructions to its free and safe navigation are not serious nor difficult to remove. Opposite Lafayette is a rapid, and between the last named point and Dayton are a series of rapids. These impediments can be removed at a comparatively small cost to the Government, and will confer great and lasting advantages on navigation. Congress having recently convened, these reports, estimates and suggestions will be given receive the consideration their great importance demands at the hands of that body.

A BOLD BURGLAR.—Late on Monday evening a gentleman and his wife, who reside at the corner of Columbia and Fourth streets, returned home from a call. As they were entering the front door, the lady thought she heard an unusual noise in the bed chamber. Her suspicions were aroused, and taking a ... to observe the cause, she discovered a ... under the bed. She was dreadfully frightened and started back, when the burglar, taking advantage of the opportunity, sprang up and darted through an open window. He had evidently been in the house but a short time as nothing was missed.

THE AUCTION.—We were very much surprised while at G. A. Steel & Co.'s auction last evening to see fine chromos and engravings sold at such ruinous prices. They certainly have a splendid assortment of pictures—the finest, probably, ever brought to this city. The sale of pianos and organs will be continued to-day, at 4 o'clock, on Stark street, between First and Second, and in the evening they will sell another beautiful assortment of pictures for sale. If you want to make any presents for the holidays, by all means be on ... and take advantage of this opportunity.

A LOST.—When the snag puller was ... at the mouth of the Wallamet during the winter of 1873, engaged in removing obstructions, one of the large anchors used about the craft was lost overboard. Long and faithful search was made for the lost article, but ... A few weeks ago, while Capt. ... down at that point, he instituted a ... search, but unavailingly, and was at length compelled to abandon further efforts to ... the anchor. This anchor weighed 198 pounds, and was valued highly.

LARCENY.—Charles Gaul, the noted thief, drunkard and "dead beat," and Joe Weizer, *alias* "Lager Beer Joe," were both arraigned in Police Court yesterday morning, charged conjointly with having purloined a large opera-glass holder, to which was attached a long strap. These worthies were both found guilty and sentenced to the jail for a round term. This morning Gaul will be tried on a charge of stealing a coat, the personal property of Michael Rainey. He will doubtless be sent up ... and ...

SHIP BUILDING.—From one of the incorporators of the Oregon Ship-building Company, we understand that they propose to commence in earnest in the course of a few weeks. As soon as all the business arrangements can be ... stock ... etc., carpenters will commence laying the keel for a first-class ... of about 500 tons burden. In a few ... a party of men will go into the mountains and commence to get out timbers for the boat, &c., etc.

... WEIZER.—The case of State vs John D... charged with grand larceny, was called in Police Court yesterday morning. Dougherty waived an examination, and was held to answer in the sum of $600. Failing to ... defendant was committed to jail. There is a case of petit larceny against him which has been set for 10 o'clock this morning. Defendant has demanded a jury trial.

MR. CAMPBELL.—The weather east of the ... is quite favorable for the prosecution of the work of improving the channel at Squally Rock, as is also the stage of water. About ... ft. at that point in blasting and removing the rock from the channel. Capt. R. R. Randall is superintending ... in the absence of Mr. J. B. Montgomery, ... First.

UNDER ARREST.—On complaint of John Dougherty, O. D. Buck was arrested last evening. The warrant of ... Buck with having been guilty of grand larceny—substantially the same offense of which the complainant is accused. On being brought to jail Buck gave the required bonds, $200 ... was released. The examination will probably come off to-day in Police Court.

A BOOT THIEF.—A man named Geo. Edwards was arrested last evening on complaint of having stolen three pairs of boots. Edwards was boarding down on First street, and leaving the ... carried away the property. A warrant was issued for his apprehension and he taken into ... By ... Whom arrested the ... was found on his person. Case will be tried this morning.

WEATHER REPORT.—Abstract from the records of the U. S. Signal Station of Observation, Portland, ... December 15, 1874:

	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.
...	40°	46°	37°
...	...Clear.	S.	Calm.
...	...	3	...
...	...Cloudy.	Cloudy.	Fresh.
...	...	...	32°

APPOINTMENT OF CLERK.—C. E. Bellinger, Esq., of this city, received a telegram from Salem yesterday apprising him of his appointment as Clerk of the Supreme Court of the State. The ... rendered vacant by the resignation of Hon. C. E. Curl. Mr. Bellinger took the ... train for Salem yesterday.

RECEPTION POSTPONED.—We are requested to give notice that the reception and sociable announced to take place in the Congregational Church this (Wednesday) evening, is postponed to Wednesday evening, Dec. 23d, at the same hour and place. Admission free.

SHERIFF SALE.—Yesterday the following property was sold at the Court House at Sheriff's sale: Lot 3, block 236, for $1,300; lots 5, 6, 7, block 2, Caruthers' Addition, for $1,400.

FESTIVAL AND SUPPER.—The North Portland M. E. S. on Sunday School will give a festival and supper at their hall, corner of Northninth and D streets this evening.

INCORPORATED.

Articles of incorporation were filed yesterday in the office of the county clerk, by Messrs. John Harlow, Amos Hall, D. F. Harrington and Silas J. Bolger.

The name of the corporation shall be known as the "Oregon Ship Building Company."

The enterprise, business and pursuit of the corporation, and in which it shall engage, is the building and constructing of ships, vessels, river boats and barges, and to this end shall have power to buy, lease and hold such real estate as may be necessary or convenient for the purpose of carrying out the objects of the corporation.

Principal office and place of business of the corporation is Portland.

Amount of the capital stock of the corporation is fixed at $10,000, with power to increase the same to $50,000. Shares are fixed at $100.

Duration of the corporation is unlimited.

Some very great changes have been made of late in the Museum. Those naughty fish have been removed, and every part of the house is fresh and sweet.

The rush to O'Brien's for cigars is immense. Go and see him to-day.

Gold and silver watches, the best manufactures and the most improved patterns, at Stone's.

The largest and most complete stock of jewelry, watches, diamonds, etc., at B. L. Stone's.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Foggy nights.

Hotels full again.

Council this evening.

Sausage-makers are busy.

Alder street needs a good cleaning.

Annual elections are now in order.

Mystic Lodge No. 2, K. of P., this evening.

Kerosene never was cheaper than at present.

Nonpareil Lodge No. 86, I. O. G. T., this evening.

Chestnuts of a doubtful quality in the markets.

Only one drunk arrested last evening, up to 10 o'clock.

Board of Trade will meet this evening at their rooms.

Samaritan Lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F., will meet this evening.

Most of the Portlanders who went to Stikine are again in town.

The *Willamette Chief* brought down a big lot of produce yesterday.

The hotel registers indicate the presence of many San Franciscans.

Another new enterprise, and we like to see them, each and every one successful.

Four hundred and twenty tons of assorted cargo were brought up on the *Oriflamme*.

Physicians Visiting Lists for 1875 are just received by J. K. Gill & Co., 75 First street.

The jibboom of the *Cordova*, which was broken while that vessel was aground, will soon be replaced.

The plasterers are at work on the new theater, which looks like business and an early completion.

Don't leave your umbrella on the front door-step, is the suggestion of one who mourns the loss of a portable rain screen.

Capt. Lysle, lately from Pittsburg, Pa., is learning the upper Wallamet, with a view to taking the helm at no distant day.

The steamer *Oriflamme* arrived at this port yesterday about 10 o'clock A. M. She was detained some time in the river by the heavy fog.

The late concert given at Masonic Hall by the Ladies' Guild of Trinity Church was very successful financially. The net proceeds were $374.

J. K. Gill & Co. received by steamer *Oriflamme*, 13 cases elegantly bound books and fancy goods, to complete their retail stock for the holidays.

Kilbourn had a large attendance at the sale last night, a number of ladies being present to assist in the bidding. Some very fine pictures went off at a sacrifice.

A number of storekeepers have adopted the use of kerosene as a substitute for gas—which proves, they say, a great saving and helps through in dull times.

We learn that a troupe of theatricals are now rehearsing in the Museum Hall and propose, ere long, to present a series of parlor entertainments at that place.

The P. O. clerks were industriously engaged last night in disposing of an immense accumulation of Eastern paper mails. It looks as if we might expect this sort of thing during the next two months.

Prof. D. K. Hallpriner will hereafter conduct the Dancing Academy at the Emmet Guard Armory alone, Mr. J. Schwendell having withdrawn from the firm. He is going back to San Francisco.

A Sixth street girl told her pa that Venus was visible until after midnight, and had been ever since night meeting began. The old gent was curious to know how she could ex... so positively of such a late hour. "I saw it in the papers," and the old man believed her.

THE COURTS.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT—DEADY, J.

TUESDAY, Dec. 15, 1874.

U. S. vs J. B. Barker; motion to retax costs argued and submitted.

U. S. vs Edward Mendes and John Martin; plead guilty; sentenced each to two months' imprisonment.

U. S. vs Alfred Elberger, Charley Heptow, indicted as Wm. Brown, and Louis Larsen as John McCarty—for desertion; cause tried.

COUNTY COURT—WOODWARD, J.—IN PROBATE.

In the matter of the estate of Thomas G. Robinson; ordered that S. J. McCormick, administrator, be discharged from further liability as ... administrator.

In the matter of the estate of Otto Treuer, deceased; order appointing H. Weinhard and Peter Wagner administrators, with bond fixed at $6,000; H. Boyd, A. LeGrande and C. A. Burchardt appointed appraisers.

LAW.

M. J. Gleason vs Patrick Fay; on motion of plaintiff's attorney, a venire was ordered for a jury, made returnable on Friday, Dec. 18, 1874, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Hoffman & Co. vs W. K. Lear; dismissed, on motion of plaintiff's attorney.

John W. Watts vs Joel Hamilton; order of default, and plaintiff allowed to issue execution.

Adjourned to Dec. 18, 1874.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

DeLashmutt & Oatman have something new in the way of real estate to sell. See the announcement in their column.

Everding & Farrell want wheat, barley, oats etc., and offer highest prices. Those having the aforesaid productions will do well to interview them.

Among the many merchants who are making a holiday display we find Paul Richter, whose specialties are parlor sets, ornaments for window cornices, etc. The articles he advertises to-day are entirely new and attractive, and any will prove very acceptable as presents. Call to-day, or at any time, and have him show you the new goods.

AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE.—There was no improvement in the attendance at the theatre last evening, barely enough to warrant the troupe in appearing, but they played the entire programme with as much ado as if the house was well filled, which was creditable to them. Madame Durot and her support will appear again this evening. We trust the auditorium will present a more encouraging appearance. The programme is a good one and the lady is deserving of better patronage. What the company do they do well. Go to-night.

Try that new brand of tobacco. It is A No. 1. At Foster's—American Exchange building.

A dog with calves' feet a leg with two feet on it; mummies and other strange sights at Museum.

Throw aside that ragged suit and proceed to Beck & Waldman's, where they are dispensing of an immense stock of clothing at fearfully low prices. Call to-day or to-morrow and bring your friends with you.

For a handsome present select from the beautiful jewelry of B. L. Stone.

PAUSE WHILE YOU READ THIS.—The season for parties and balls has arrived and the cold dreary days and nights of winter will soon visit us. Every young man, old man and boy for that matter, likes to present a neat appearance when attending parties, the theater, or walking about the streets. They likewise desire to be well provided against the cold blasts of snow and rain. What contributes more to the personal appearance and comfort of a gentleman, or boy, than a nice closely fitting suit of clothes, act of with a liberal warm overcoat. Why will any one be so foolish as to go without either, when BECK & WALDMAN have everything in that line. Beck & Waldman in buying their immense fall and winter stock of clothing have exercised great care, and selected with reference to the demands of trade. They have purchased their goods low and are determined not to be undersold. Let the public note this fact.

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Fine French China Tea Sets, 44 pieces		$7 50
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" Hand "		75
" Chill iced "		75
" China "		75
" Ruby "		75
" Dore "		1 00
" Sing-la "		3 00
" Hoop-dee "		1 25
" Bracket Lamps		2 00
" Stand	from 25 cts to	10 00

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$8,643 will buy 25x100 feet running through from First to Front, and lying between Salmon and Main streets. This is business property, and we would advise some of the milk-and-cider cranks to invest their money in it, and stop this standing around the street corners and predicting the downfall of Portland. We will make this prediction—That in five years from now this property will bring ... Dollars!! And we are willing to risk our reputation as business men, on the result.

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Silverware of every description—the latest styles now on exhibition at Stone's.

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Asthma, is relieved by JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT.

WATCHES AND JEWELRY.

Christmas is Coming
AND
HENRICHSEN IS HERE!

Having just returned from San Francisco with an assortment of Goods in my line second to none this side of S. F. as regards selection and size, I invite the citizens of Portland, and all others to call and examine the large variety of DIAMOND, CAMEO, TURQUOISE, TOPAZ, ONYX, AMETHYST, and the very latest styles of ENAMELED GOLD JEWELRY in Sets, Buttons, Bracelets, Finger Rings, etc., etc.

Attention is also called to the splendid assortment of GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES, of Foreign and Domestic Manufacture. SOLID SILVER and PLATED WARE of the most celebrated Manufactories of the United States, in endless variety, and everything that can be found in any First Class Jewelry Establishment.

A MANUFACTORY, (the only one in Portland,) is attached to the Store, where any article can be made or repaired without sending to San Francisco.

L. C. HENRICHSEN,
No. 109 First Street.

B. L. STONE,
JEWELER,

Would respectfully invite the attention of the public to his Large and ... partment of DIAMONDS, WATCHES, FINE JEWELRY, Solid SILVER WARE, etc., etc.

By selecting my goods in person, I can offer to my customers the Newest Styles and choicest articles.

Arrangements have been made with the San Francisco and ... steamers to supply me with all the latest ... in Fine Jewelry, Watches, Silverware, Antique Curios, and ... in my line by every steamer, and my facilities for purchasing enable me to offer to my customers at retail Goods as cheap as they can be bought at wholesale by other Jewelers, with large ... to dealers.

I keep no plated Jewelry of any description—every article is warranted to be just as represented, and I have but ONE PRICE for all goods.

Watches and Jewelry ... to order, and ... ing promptly attended to by ... workman.

Agents for the ... THOMAS CLOCKS, Waltham ... and DIAMOND SPECTACLES. These Spectacles are manufactured with ... ground with the ... By using ... to this eye and can be ... equally well by artificial or day light.

B. L. STONE,
103 Front St., ... and Morrison, Portland, O...

FOR THE HOLIDAYS!

JOHN R. MILLER,

Watchmaker and Jeweler,

HAS JUST RETURNED FROM SAN FRANCISCO with a large and well selected stock of

WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY

SILVER AND PLATED WARE,

Suitable for Holiday Presents, consisting of Fine Stem and Key Winding Watches of the most Celebrated ... Makers of Europe.

Also, American Watches of E. Howard & Co., Elgin, Waltham, Roxbury, New York, and Springfield Watch Factories. Jewelry, Silver and Plated Ware.

Sole Agent for the Celebrated S. ... Winding Roskoff Watch, which, for cheapness and durability cannot be excelled by any maker in this world. Warranted. n20dtm

Watches, Chronometers and Jewelry ... J. R. MILLER.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NEW GOODS!

J. FLEISHNER,

Has relocated at his old stand, 127 First Street, and has opened an

ENTIRE NEW STOCK OF

BOOTS & SHOES!

Selected personally during a recent visit to San Francisco.

PRICES THE LOWEST!

Call and be Convinced.

THE HOLIDAYS!

FIRST IN THE FIELD!

SCHMEER BROS.

65 First Street,

HAVE OPENED THEIR STOCK OF

Holiday Confectioneries

THE VARIETY OF FRENCH AND AMERICAN

CANDIES, TOYS, ETC.,

is entirely new, large and complete.

Wholesale orders from the country solicited. Prices marked down.

Suppers prepared for Balls and Parties on short notice.

Call before purchasing elsewhere. n21dim

NEW YORK MARKET.

CHAS. A. MALARKEY,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

Fish, Poultry, Game & Oysters,

SECOND STREET,

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PUGET SOUND FISH 5 cents per pound—wholesale.

Just received, a large stock of

TURKEYS, GEESE, ETC.,

For the Holiday Trade.

Prices within the reach of all.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.

THE OWNERS OF THE "PACIFIC WHARF and Warehouse," located at the foot of Salmon street, in this city, announce to the public that they are now ready to receive Produce and Merchandise on store ... at low rates.

The wharf affords excellent accommodation for discharging and loading ocean vessels of the largest class. Wharfage ... twice as reasonable.

Liberal cash advances will be made on grain stored in large quantities in the warehouse. Warehouse receipts will be given.

For particulars apply to CHARLES HOLMAN.

Portland, Oregon, Nov. 30, 1874. n30 1m

RAGS, BOTTLES, JUNK.

HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR THE ABOVE 2,000 grain sacks for sale at Kaiser's ... Store, corner of Oak and Front streets.

CLARKE & ...

NEW GOODS!

Just Received direct fr... Va... t a Large Lot of

MEN'S HAND-KNIT WOOLEN SOCKS

For Wa... wint W...

Also, NEW, a Great Variety of MEN'S GLOVES in Cloth, Kid, Dr... and Rubb...

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Worm Woolen Reversible Shawls.

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WILLIAM BECK & SON,

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GUNS, RIFLES AND REVOLVERS,

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,

Sporting Apparatus, Fishing Tackle, Fancy Goods, Fancy Paper, Cutlery, Bird Cages,

Also, Just Received, a ... Assortment of

CHILDREN'S ... SUITABLE TO HOLIDAYS,

Which we offer at reduced prices, to ... for CASH only.

TOYS AND FANCY GOODS!

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Skates, Sleighs, Velocipedes, ...

All of which we will sell, ... Eastern prices.

Agents for GUY ... Rifle ...

Remember the NEW ...

107 Front ...

FRESH BEER!

... to ... on hand ... and ... at greatly reduced prices, in ... lots.

The Goods comprise a full ... for

DECORATED ... IN WHITE ...

... are of our own ... and of the ... gant Designs, and of the ...

Tea Sets, Chamber ... Bowls, Cuspidors, Pitchers, Mugs, Etc.

We will sell all the above ... as ... even a ... per.

S. SPECKLOCK,

SADDLERY, HARNESS, SADDLE PADS, BRIDLES, WHIPS, ETC.

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... DOOR ... STREET, ...

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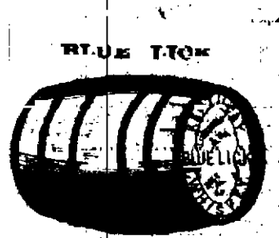

WHISKEY.

HAVING BEEN APPOINTED SOLE AGENT for the above celebrated brand of ... Whiskey, I am in receipt of an invoice of the same in barrels, half barrels and ... which I am prepared to offer to the trade, at jobbing ...

H. FLECKENSTEIN,
SOLE AGENT.

Wholesale Dealer in Wines and Liquors,
No. 147 First, near Taylor street.

HACHENEY & STEMMER,

GROCERS,

Cor. First and Taylor Sts.

A COMPLETE STOCK OF ... ESH GOODS.

PROMPT ATTENTION. FREE DELIVERY.

PORTLAND GLUE FACTORY!

OFFICE ON FIRST ... BETWEEN Taylor and Salmon, next door to Hook and Ladder Engine House, have always on hand Glue, Curled Hair and Neat's Foot Oil, at the ... Prices. n16dim MEITZGER & ST...

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ALMOST A DUEL

THE HOSTILE MEETING BETWEEN GEN SHIELDS AND ABRAHAM LINCOLN—A DUEL THAT DID NOT COME OFF—HOW THE DIFFICULTY WAS ADJUDGED

A writer in the Chicago *Inter Ocean* gives the following historical reminiscence

The most noteworthy affair of this kind was that between the late Abraham Lincoln and General James Shields now of Missouri which took place in 1842 In that year there was great public excitement caused by the refusal of the State officers among whom was General Shields then State Auditor, to receive the bills of the State Bank in payment of taxes said bills being worth in specie only about fifty cents on a dollar The measure provoked universal denunciation, and Mr Lincoln then a young and comparatively unknown lawyer wrote a communication on the subject, which was published in the *Sangamon Journal* the Whig organ at Springfield over the signature of Rebecca dated Lost Township September 2 1842

The article was in the form of a dialogue between Aunt Rebecca and her democratic neighbor which she handled the officers of the State savagely for their order refusing the State Bank money and was particularly severe on Shields calling him a liar and a fool, dull as a cake of tallow Shields was a bachelor and very vain and his appearance at a fair in the city was caricatured his demeanor criticised and he denounced as a contented dancer

The article soon became the talk of the town and Shields was furious He foamed with rage He proceeded at once to the editor of the *Journal* Someon Francis demanded the [illegible] sive communication was given him Lincoln was at the time attending the court at Tremont [illegible] accompanied by his friend General Whitesides and immediately on his arrival at [illegible] a note to Lincoln stating that his name had been given him as the author of an insulting article signed Rebecca, and requiring a full positive and [illegible] disavowal of said personal allusions to him and an [illegible] apology for the insults conveyed.

It so happened that two friends of Mr Lincoln, Dr Merriman [illegible] Wm. [illegible] learned of Shields departure for Tremont and the object of it, and mounting their horses rode all night, and communicated with [illegible] Mr Lincoln the [illegible] he [illegible] the note.

THE PRELIMINARIES

The same evening he replied, refusing to offer any explanation on the ground that Shields assumed the fact of his authorship of the article in question, and concluding by saying that the only terms which he could accept would be a full and ample retraction of whatever was offensive in the publication, and a denial of the authorship in case it should be denied. Without receiving a reply to this note, Lincoln and his friends left Springfield, but the two parties to the hostile meeting were arrested before the imminent duel became known, and in order to avoid arrest Mr Lincoln suddenly retired to Jacksonville, leaving with Mr Butler the following letter for his wife Dr. Merriman and Mr Butler in his behalf:

MR. LINCOLN'S REASON FOR THE FIGHT

"[illegible] shall signify a wish to have this affair withdrawn without further difficulty let him know that if the papers [illegible] be withdrawn and a note [illegible] of which he complains, and [illegible] made of which he complains, and [illegible] that without reference or dictation as to [illegible] I did not write the [illegible] which appeared in the [illegible] stant, but had no participation in it further than having [illegible] had no intention of injuring your personal [illegible] character or standing as a man or a gentleman and I did not then think, and I do not [illegible] that [illegible] against you, and had I known [illegible] I have forborne to [illegible] Such being the case, I am willing to make [illegible] withdrawn If no such arrangement is arrived at, the preliminaries of the duel are [illegible] the [illegible] size, precisely equal in all [illegible] and such as are now [illegible] at Jacksonville. [illegible] plank ten feet long and from nine to twelve inches broad to be firmly fixed [illegible] on the ground [illegible] between [illegible] and parallel with it each at the distance of the length of the sword and the [illegible] the plank and the retreating of [illegible] over such line, by either party, [illegible] shall be deemed a surrender [illegible] On Thursday evening at 5 o'clock [illegible] Friday evening at 5 o'clock [illegible] Within three miles of [illegible] the [illegible] side of the river, the particular spot to be agreed [illegible] Any details concerning the [illegible] to [illegible] at your discretion, but you in no case to [illegible] from these [illegible] the limits. ABRAHAM LINCOLN

Dr Merriman read these instructions to General Whitesides, who, in the absence of his principal declined to [illegible] of consent until they [illegible] Missouri

All [illegible] friends met [illegible] while [illegible] the weapons were procured, and a surgeon—Dr A T Bledsoe—added to the party When Shields and his party arrived [illegible] into Missouri, and [illegible] the ground commenced

Fortunately for the future Colonel J J Hardin [illegible] on the scene, having come all the way from Springfield with the made purpose of bringing about a reconciliation [illegible] the following [illegible]

[illegible] Aug. 6, A. D. 22 1842

The matter [illegible] PERSONAL AND POLITICAL —As the mutual friends of Shields and Lincoln have [illegible] difficulty [illegible] either wo[illegible] a reconciliation [illegible] Such [illegible] which existed [illegible] Hardin, if it is possible to do so with honor to both [illegible] an arrangement can possibly be effected, we respectfully but [illegible] the proposition for your consideration [illegible] whole difficulty [illegible] four or more gentlemen of your own choosing [illegible] for your consideration.

JOHN J. HARDIN
R. W. ENGLISH

THE RESULT.

This [illegible] was [illegible] and accepted Mr Shields promptly named General Wh[illegible] W. L. D. Ewing and the surgeon who had accompanied him T M Hope[illegible] the [illegible] gin his be half

The [illegible] logy and all other belligerent papers were withdrawn when Mr Lincoln tendered the explanation he had already promised, which proved satisfactory [illegible] the parties were reconciled shook hands and returned together to Springfield, so ended Lincoln's first last and only duel But the affair did not end with Lincoln's withdrawal from it The blood from all the parties who had been connected with it was up and nearly half a dozen challenges [illegible] out of it nearly as many as have occurred in the whole history of the [illegible] before or since.

[illegible] Portland Lodge No. 6, I. O. O. F.—[illegible] Mr [illegible] of First and Alder [illegible] Members of the Order are invited [illegible] By order of N G

[illegible] No. 15, I. O. O. F.—[illegible] every Friday evening at [illegible] o'clock in [illegible] Odd Fellows' Temple, cor. [illegible] First and Alder [illegible] Members of the Order are invited to attend. By order of N G

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Office of the Daily Oregonian,
TUESDAY EVENING, December 15 1874.

Gold in New York 111¾

Legal Tenders in Portland—buying 89½ selling 90½

Legal tenders in San Francisco 90½ buying 91 selling

Sight exchange on San Francisco coin ⅜ per cent discount currency ½ of 1 per cent prem

Sight exchange on New York, coin ⅜ of one per cent, currency ½ of one per cent

Gold bars 725@7.0

Price of Sterling exchange in New York $4 84 @ 4 86.

Latest telegram from Liverpool denote a quiet market Quotations are as follows For California cargoes on the spot 10s 3d Oregon ditto 10s 6d cargoes Oregon for shipment to Cork or Queenstown for orders to Liverpool 9s 1d per central Liverpool cargoes for shipment 45s 6d per quarter of 500 lbs.

Local monetary matters present but little signs of fluctuation borrowers who offer prime security find ready accommodations at the usual rates and but for the continued heavy demand for the purposes of moving the surplus crops, our home market would be in possession of ample available funds to render the condition of monetary affairs one of gratifying ease This call however is one which is answered the more freely as the return is always prompt and certain.

The comptroller of the U S treasury in his annual report shows the number of national banks in the country to be 658 Twenty two have been organized since the establishment of the national banking system Of these only five have failed and 137 have gone into involuntary liquidation The distribution of the bank note currency has been as follows The total amount of circulation on [illegible] the total amount issued was Nov 1 $351 9[illegible] The aggregate amount of circulation now at the disposal of the comptroller is $47,850 743 That is, of the $382 000 000 authorized by Congress $[illegible],144 is unissued $7 14 .0 of circulation has been surrendered by National Banks.

It will be seen by the act of June 20 last the liquidation of National Banks allows $6 492 2[illegible] of their notes to be replaced by notes of new banks and finally under the provision for the redistribution of $[illegible] 000 000 the comptroller has the power to make requisitions to the amount of $[illegible],[illegible] upon banks in States with an [illegible] by circulation These taken together put $47,850 743 in the comptroller's hands Whether this will be sufficient may be judged from the demands of late Since June 20 last he has issued $[illegible],389 189 to banks there is due to banks already organized $[illegible],707 600 sixty four proposed National Banks that have applied for charters, have been assigned $4 [illegible] 000 The total of these demands is $11,546 [illegible]

General Trade

Trade in the general market during the week so far, has been quite up to expectations and there [illegible] strongly in favor of a profitable winter's business. Dry goods are firm for most staple articles and in reasonably fair demand. Local and country buyers appear to be taking hold on a somewhat more liberal scale and some lines of dry goods [illegible] to show an advancing tendency but as yet no important fluctuation has occurred from the steady prices maintained during the fall and early winter The near approach of the holiday season serves to impart life to trade and to promote a feeling of [illegible] both in the retail and wholesale departments of the market In millinery goods the movement is quite brisk for the season and though individual transactions are not large the aggregate [illegible] up heavily both the city and country trade stocking up freely in late styles and [illegible] suggestions.

The grocery trade is maintaining the firm and active character [illegible] exhibited occasionally heretofore during the fall months and dealers seem busy in filling orders and receiving additions to broken stocks. Prices as a rule exhibit no change but teas are reported [illegible] for quotations sugars and syrups are firm at [illegible] rates the prospect favoring an advance on the [illegible] The late rise in coffees is still maintained Dried fruits are steady while provisions [illegible] remain [illegible] at previous quotations.

Per British ship Zelica dispatched by Rudgers Meyer & Co 61 875 bushels of wheat valued at $63

[illegible] For British bark Rifle to Cork for orders 16 874 [illegible] Dispatched by [illegible] & Company

The British bark [illegible] (previously incomplete), for Rio Janeiro, 9,038 bbls. flour, valued at $46,112. Dispatched by the Salem Flouring Mill Co Will come down to Astoria.

The Wheat Market.

In other circles it was reported to-day that this staple had advanced to $1 37½ per central but prominent [illegible] declined to quote at anything above [illegible] and no sound lot was offered at the latter figure Private advices from San Francisco denote a little more firmness in that market but [illegible] 85 for shipping lots and [illegible] is the first event occurring for the record The vessels now in this port are all [illegible] and their cargoes for the most part in sight Several of them are partially loaded and will drop out by the first of next week but their places may be supplied by new arrivals, as several vessels are now due and expected.

The tonnage supply has so far been ample and [illegible] while [illegible] assure a grain crop of the State some even claiming that the vessel arrangements to come to this port already [illegible] sufficient to carry away all the grain in our borders So far during the season the arrivals of the grain fleet number [illegible] vessels, against 29 arrivals up to Dec 15th, 1873. The quantity of clearances this year has been for [illegible] Cork and ports for China against 18 for Europe during the corresponding period in 1873.

The [illegible] of the British bark Limari by the Salem Flouring Mills, with a cargo of their flour for the [illegible] Rio de Janeiro marks an [illegible] that trade, being the first direct shipment hence to that port We trust the [illegible] profitable to the shippers and be the opening of another market for our surplus products

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Miscellaneous

Medicinal oils which were sold for the first time last year promise to become an article of some importance in the grocery trade The whitest and yellowest wax, most of the water extracted and a little sugar added They are sold at wholesale at the rate of 22 cents for a dozen eggs They are put [illegible] Chicago, where the eggs cost ten cents a dozen. The cans in which they are packed hold 10 and 30 dozen They have hitherto been sold only to bakers, for cake pastry, etc They have been [illegible] months as a test and are just the thing for a long sea voyage

In the report of the Secretary of the Treasury in reference to the results of placing coffee and tea on the free list, it is shown by carefully prepared tables of [illegible] with the duties [illegible] and the prices [illegible] for a period subsequent to that that while the Government lost from six to twelve millions from the decrease of revenue on account of the removal of such tax, consumers have in no manner been benefited A restoration of the tax is recommended by the Secretary

Articles of Incorporation [illegible] of the Oriental and Oriental Steamship Co [illegible] filed Nov [illegible] The corporation [illegible] will [illegible] be the establishing and forming a corporation under the Civil Code of California for the purpose of constructing, purchasing, chartering running freights [illegible] coaling managing and owning steam and sailing ships and vessels therewith doing and transacting all kinds of transportation and shipping business on the oceans seas bays sounds and rivers in the world, The Directors are Leland Stanford Charles Crocker David D Colton Lloyd Tevis and Mark Hopkins, who are also the incorporators The capital stock is to be $10 000 000, divided into 100 000 shares of $100 each.

The Sacramento *Bee* in its weekly review of the condition of the wheat crop in California says "Assurance comes from every quarter that no other year at this early day was there over half as much grain sowed or land cultivated as now and wherever the blades peep above the clod it appears to flourish Indeed so tall and rank are some fields of grain that their owners intend to place sheep upon them to eat it down and keep it back Grid ually but slowly do the farmers work into mixed crops It is difficult to determine upon any crop that finds a readier sale or pays better than wheat Still a variety is being introduced whenever practicable and the desire which is universal will in the end work out the problem So far it has been the most admirable seedtime that California has seen

The largest plate of glass ever manufactured in the United States was recently cast in Indiana. It is 168 by 91 inches.

Philadelphia has 8 650 manufacturing establishments having a capital of $291 316 637 employing 150 000 hands and turning out manufactured products to the annual value of $400 000 000

There were 33 marine disasters to the fleet bound to or from the United States in November and the total value of the property destroyed exclusive of cargoes is set down at $468 000 The list includes two steamers, two ships five barks seven brigs and seventeen schooners Twenty of the vessels were wrecked three were burned three were abandoned at sea, one was foundered two were sunk by collision and four are still missing

The arrival of the bark Pallais Gallien from this port at Hull completes the account of the Oregon grain fleet for the harvest year of 1873-4 The only complete loss was that of the bark Silver Cloud abandoned off Cape Horn The next most serious disaster was to the bark Achievement, which put into San Francisco on distress in a large portion of her cargo She is yet out, according to last accounts

Shipping Intelligence

Steamship Oriflamme from San Francisco with 420 tons assorted merchandise arrived [illegible] morning at 10 o'clock She will sail on return trip on Thursday next.

The British bark Beulah which cleared [illegible] for Queenstown November [illegible] was spoken on the 17th of the same month in Latitude [illegible] north and Longitude 125° 40' west.

The bark Heros hailed alongside Barnard's wharf to day and began to discharge ballast

The bark Caribou brought 14 tons scrap-iron from Pusayma consigned to Messrs Howett & Co

The bark Alonso [illegible] began to load wheat to day and will have quick dispatch

Messrs Henry Howett & Co will begin soon to load the following vessel The Roscneath Grand town and docks

Messrs Allen & Lowe are loading the Gungner

A fourth vessel the fine clipper ship Lady [illegible] for Portland and Victoria She is an American built and will sail in [illegible] quarter month

BY TELEGRAPH

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 14—Arrived—Ship Fleetwood Smith from New York steamer Los Angeles Victoria steamer Montana from Victoria British ship Oakworth New Castle N S W Sailed—Bark Columbia Port Townsend ship Frank Jones Liverpool ship Portland Liverpool ship New Ark, Dublin.

San Francisco Stock Market

[BY TELEGRAPH]

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 15—Opening 117½ Gould & Curry 95 Savage 116 Challenge Bullion 59 Crown Point 47 Justice 15½ Belcher 46½ Confidence 85 Con Va 28 California 87½ Sag Belcher 127½ Overman 73½

San Francisco Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH]

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 15—Flour—Extra $4 @ 12[illegible]

Wheat—Shipping $1 22½@1 40 milling $1 [illegible]

Barley—Coast feed $1 40 brewing, not strictly clean $1 [illegible] fair bay brewing $1 42½ good $1 [illegible]

Oats—$1 35@1 60

Hay—$10 17

Onions—Choice $1 60@1 10

Potatoes—Coffee Cove $1 60@1 70 Humboldt $1 40@1 60 sweet $1 [illegible]

Corn—Fair yellow $1 25 good $1 [illegible]

RIVER STEAMERS.

Oregon Steam Navigation Co.'s

PASSENGER SCHEDULE.

PASSENGERS LEAVE PORTLAND
FOR DALLES—Daily (except Sunday) at 6 o'clock A M

FOR ASTORIA—Daily (except Sunday) at 6 A M

FOR KALAMA and TACOMA—Daily (Sundays excepted) at 6 A M

FOR VICTORIA—Thursday and Saturday at 6 A M, J G REED Vice President.

Oregon Steamship Company's

STEAMBOATS.

Notice.

FROM AND AFTER MONDAY Sept. 22d the steamer

E. N. COOKE

Will leave OREGON CITY every day (Sunday excepted) at 7 30 A M for Portland returning will leave Portland for Oregon City at 2 30 P M.

Passengers for DAYTON and all intermediate points will take C[illegible] at [illegible] A M, connecting at Canemah with the steamer [illegible]TON on Monday Wednesday and Friday connecting at Oregon City with the O & C R R Co at 5 P M on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday for Portland

THROUGH TICKETS sold at the Office of the O. & C. R. R. Co, at REDUCED RATES

All Freight by this line delivered to consignees FREE OF DRAYAGE.

Freight received until 5 P M.

J D ELLES Agent.

The Willamette River Transportation Co.'s Steamers

Will leave the Central Wharf between Washington and Alder streets as follows

Steamer "GOV. GROVER" for Corvallis, on Monday and Thursday at 6 A M

Steamer "WILLAMETTE CHIEF" for Albany, on Tuesday and Friday at 6 A M

Steamer "SHOSHONE" for Points on the Yamhill River, on Monday Wednesday and Friday at 6 A M

Steamer "RAVEN" for Astoria, Leaves Thursday and Saturday at 6 A M

Lightering and Towing of Vessels between Portland and Astoria at REDUCED RATES

FRANK T DODGE Agent

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INDEPENDENT LINE:

THE LIGHT DRAFT STEAMER

OHIO,

Leaves the Wharf foot of Alder street Portland for Salem Albany Corvallis and all intermediate points on Monday and Thursdays of each week Leaves Corvallis on return Wednesdays and Saturdays until further notice. No delays on account of low water Rates of freight reasonable For any further information apply on board or to G I Lindsley Agent, on the wharf

J B SCOTT Master

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THE STEAMER VANCOUVER,
JAS W TROUPE, Master

WILL LEAVE DAILY FROM WASHINGTON Street Wharf for Vancouver at 2 30 P M Returning leave Vancouver at 8 A M For freight or passage apply on board.

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Per Steamer Ajax,

At the "GEM"

GO TO
JOE WATSON'S
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CITY ADVERTISEMENTS.

Chief of Police Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a warrant issued by the Auditor and Clerk of the city of Portland dated Nov 21st, 1874, commanding me to levy upon Lot number six in Block 313 in the city of Portland and collect assessment thereon amounting to forty five 94 100 dollars.($45 94), for the improvement of B street, between North Thirteenth street and the western boundary of said city I have this day levied upon said Lot 6 in Block 313 and on WEDNESDAY the 30th day of December 1874 at 10 o'clock A M of said day in front of the court house door in said city of Portland Multnomah county State of Oregon will sell said Lot to the highest bidder therefor to pay said assessments costs and expenses of sale Said sale to be for U S gold and silver coin.

J H LAPPEUS Chief of Police
Portland Dec 1 1874 d2dlaw1t

Chief of Police Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a warrant issued by the Auditor and Clerk of the city of Portland dated Nov 21 s, 1874 commanding me to levy upon Lot number one in Block 160 Couch's Addition to the city of Portland and collect assessment thereon amounting, to one hundred and twenty eight 51 100 dollars ($128 51) for the improvement of B street between North Thirteenth street and the western boundary of said city I have this day levied upon said Lot one in Block 165 and on WEDNESDAY the 30th day of December 1874 at 10 o'clock A M of said day in front of the court house door in said city of Portland Multnomah county State of Oregon will sell said Lot one to the highest bidder therefor to pay said assessments costs and expenses of sale Said sale to be for U S gold and silver coin

J H LAPPEUS Chief of Police
Portland Dec 1 1874 d2d1tw4t

Chief of Police Sale

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY VIRtue of a Warrant issued by the Auditor and Clerk of the City of Portland dated Nov 21st 1874 commanding me to levy upon lot Number four in Block [illegible] in the city of Portland to collect assessment thereon amounting to four hundred and three 2 100 dollars ($403 02) for the improvement of B street, between North Thirteenth street and the western boundary of said city I have this day levied upon said Lot four in Block 165 and on WEDNESDAY the 30th day of December 1874 at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day in front of the court House door in said city of Portland Multnomah county State of Oregon will sell said Lot to the highest bidder therefor to pay said assessments costs and expenses of sale Said sale to be for U S gold and silver coin

J H LAPPEUS Ch ef of Police.
Portland Dec 1 1874 d2dlaw4t

Chief of Police Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a warrant issued by the Auditor and Clerk of the city of Portland dated Nov 21st 1874 commanding me to levy upon Lot number seven in Block 313 in the city of Portland and collect assessment thereon amounting to twenty 41 100 dollars ($20 41) for the improvement of B street between North Thirteenth street and the western boundary of said city I have this day levied upon said Lot seven in Block 313 and on WEDNESDAY the 30th day of December 1874 at 10 o'clock A M of said day in front of the court house door in said city of Portland Multnomah county State of Oregon will sell said Lot 7 to the highest bidder therefor to pay said assessments costs and expenses of sale Said sale to be for U S gold and silver coin

J H LAPPEUS Chief of Police
Portland Dec 1 1874 d2dlaw4t

Chief of Police Sale

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a warrant issued by the Auditor and Clerk of the city of Portland dated Nov 21st 1874 commanding me to levy upon Lot number five in Block 313 in the city of Portland and collect assessment thereon amounting to forty 84 100 dollars.($40 84), for the improvement of B street between North Thirteenth street and the western boundary of said city I have this day levied upon said Lot 5 in Block 313 and on WEDNESDAY the 30th day of December 1874 at 10 o'clock A M of said day in front of the court house door in said city of Portland Multnomah county State of Oregon will sell said Lot 5 to the highest bidder therefor to pay said assessments costs and expenses of sale Said sale to be for U S gold and silver coin

J H LAPPEUS Chief of Police
Portland Dec 1 1874 d2dlaw4t

Chief of Police Sale

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a warrant issued by the Auditor and Clerk of the city of Portland dated Nov 21st 1874 commanding me to levy upon Lot number two in Block 313 in the city of Portland and collect assessment thereon amounting to forty five 94 100 dollars.($45 94), for the improvement of B street between North Thirteenth street and the western boundary of said city I have this day levied upon said Lot 2 in Block 313 and on WEDNESDAY the 30th day of December 1874 at 10 o'clock A M of said day in front of the court house door in said city of Portland Multnomah county State of Oregon will sell said Lot 2 to the highest bidder therefor to pay said assessments costs and expenses of sale Said sale to be for U S gold and silver coin

J H LAPPEUS Chief of Police
Portland Dec 1 1874 d2dlaw4t

Chief of Police Sale

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a warrant issued by the Auditor and Clerk of the city of Portland dated Nov 21st 1874 commanding me to levy upon Lot number three in Block 313 in the city of Portland and collect assessment thereon amounting to forty 84 100 dollars ($40 84) for the improvement of B street between North Thirteenth street and the western boundary of said city I have this day levied upon said Lot 3 in Block 313 and on WEDNESDAY the 30th day of December 1874 at 10 o'clock A M of said day in front of the court house door in said city of Portland Multnomah county State of Oregon will sell said Lot 3 to the highest bidder therefor to pay said assessments costs and expenses of sale Said sale to be for U S gold and silver coin

J H LAPPEUS Chief of Police
Portland Dec 1 1874 d2dlaw4t

Chief of Police Sale

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a warrant issued by the Auditor and Clerk of the city of Portland dated Nov 21st 1874 commanding me to levy upon Lot number eight in Block 313 in the city of Portland and collect assessment thereon amounting to four hundred and eight 8 100 dollars ($408 08) for the improvement of B street between North Thirteenth street and the western boundary of said city I have this day levied upon said Lot 8 in Block 313 and on WEDNESDAY the 30th day of December 1874 at 10 o'clock A M of said day in front of the court house door in said city of Portland Multnomah county State of Oregon will sell said Lot 8 to the highest bidder therefor to pay said assessments costs and expenses of sale Said sale to be for U S gold and silver coin

J H LAPPEUS Chief of Police
Portland Dec 1 1874 d2dlaw4t

Chief of Police Sale

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a warrant issued by the Auditor and Clerk of the city of Portland dated Nov 21st 1874 commanding me to levy upon Lot number one in Block 313 in the city of Portland and collect assessment thereon amounting to forty five 94 100 dollars.($45 94), for the improvement of B street between North Thirteenth street and the western boundary of said city I have this day levied upon said Lot 1 in Block 313 and on WEDNESDAY the 30th day of December 1874 at 10 o'clock A M of said day in front of the court house door in said city of Portland Multnomah county State of Oregon will sell said Lot 1 to the highest bidder therefor to pay said assessments costs and expenses of sale Said sale to be for U S gold and silver coin

J H LAPPEUS Chief of Police
Portland Dec 1 1874 d2dlaw4t

City Assessment.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Assessment Roll of the City of Portland has been duly filed and will remain open at the Auditors Office until JANUARY 18 5 prior to which time all applications for corrections of errors must be filed

Particular attention is directed to the following section of Ordinance No 1119

Section 3 Any person deeming himself aggrieved by the assessment in addition or [illegible] property may apply to the Common Council for a revision of the same

Such application shall contain a list of all the property subject to taxation for city purposes owned by [illegible] in the hands of or under the control of the applicant, and a concise statement of the particular item or items claimed to be erroneously assessed, which said application shall in all cases be verified by oath or information and belief of the applicant, and must be file I with the Auditor before the 1st day of JANUARY following the date of the filing of the Assessment Roll.

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk
December 1 1874 d2dtd

Montgomery Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMmon Council of the city of Portland propose to improve that part of Montgomery street lying between the west line of First street and the east line of Fourth street by grading planking the roadway full width and relaying sidewalks where necessary

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk
Dec 5 1874 d5d10t

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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT —District of Oregon Notice in Bankruptcy In the matter of [illegible] Comstock Bankrupt In this is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said Court by said [illegible] Comstock duly declared bankrupt under the Act of Congress of March 2, 1867 for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and liabilities and other claims provable under said act, and that the thirty first day of December 1874 is assigned for the hearing of the same before [illegible] Northup, Esq Register in Bankruptcy at his office in Portland in said District, at which and where any person may attend and show cause if any they have why the prayer of said petition should not be granted

d10d1awdt Clerk of said Court

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Attorney at Law—Oregon City, Or

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109 First street, opposite Occidental Hotel Portland.

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Odd Fellows' Temple,
Room No 10

WHALLEY & FECHHEIMER,
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rooms Nos. 7 and 8 in Gilsan's Building corner First and Ash Streets Portland,

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Room 20 Dekum's Building

F. A. CHENOWETH,
Attorney-at-Law—Corvallis, Or.

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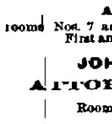

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